## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Trygve Burchardt

Title: PRODUCTION OF GAS DIFFUSION ELECTRODES

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Examiner: Buchanan, Jacob

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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1.	Submission required	d under 37 C.F.R.	<u> </u>	(check items that apply)

a.	Previous.	ly su	bmit	ted:
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	[]	Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on but not considered.
	[]	Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on
	[]	Other
	b. End	closed are:
	[X]	Amendment/Reply.
	[]	Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
	[]	Information Disclosure Statement.
	[]	Form PTO/SB/08 with copies of listed reference(s).
	[]	Other.
Misce	llaneous	3:
	[]	Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37
		C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		reviously aid For	Extra Clair Present	ms	Rate		Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):						\$810.00	=	\$810.00
Total Claims:	44	-	44	= 0	х	\$52.00	=	\$0.00
Independents	3	-	3	= 0	Х	\$220.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation o	f any l	Multiple [	Dependent Clair	ms: +	\$390.00	=	\$0.00
				CLAI	MS FE	EE TOTAL:	=	\$810.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

\$0.00	\$130.00	Extension for response filed within the first month:	[]		
\$0.00	\$490.00	Extension for response filed within the second month:	[]		
\$1,110.00	\$1,110.00	] Extension for response filed within the third month:	[X]		
\$0.00	\$1,730.00	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	[]		
\$0.00	\$2,350.00	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	[]		
\$1,110.00	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:				
\$130.00	OY PAID:	EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID:			
\$980.00	E TOTAL	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL			
\$1790.00	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:				
\$895.00	[ X ] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):				
\$0.00	[ ] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)				
\$895.00	ΓAL FEE:	TO			

The above-identified fees of \$895.00 are being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 30, 2011

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